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Council Votes To Grant Variance For Sale Of The Barlow Estate

Catholic Order Will Take Property Over After January 1st

After a lengthy hearing the city council voted 4 to 1 in favor of granting a variance to the zoning ordinance that will permit Mrs. W. Jarvis Barlow to transfer title of the famed estate to the Sisters of St. Francis of Penance and Christian Charity to be operated as a Pacific Coast mother house and novitiate.

Sale of the celebrated Villa del Sol d'Oro and the magnificently landscaped 12-acre estate was completed this week, but Mother Emma Gale, Provincial Superior, announces that the order will not take possession until after January 1. Members of the household will then include four professed sisters, seven candidates and one novice.

Only changes contemplated in the villa now are conversion of the second floor ballroom into a dormitory, and establishment of a chapel in the drawing room.

Decision of the council to sustain action of the planning commission was reached after a somewhat tense session which centered around two main arguments, whether granting of the variance would tend to weaken Sierra Madre's entire zoning ordinance, and a possible decrease in surrounding property values as the result of permitting a

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War Relief Drive Is Launched In Sierra Madre

Asking that every Sierra Madrene contribute whatever amount he can possibly spare from his budget, Dr. Arthur O. Pritchard as chairman, launched Sierra Madre's Red Cross War Relief drive Monday.

Quota for this city has been set at \$5,250, and is being sought by voluntary subscriptions, which should be made at the Sierra Madre Savings Bank or Red Cross headquarters. Receipts will be issued and to lessen the confusion at Red Cross Headquarters Dr. Pritchard advises that whenever possible contributions should be made through the bank.

Fifteen percent of the amount raised will remain here for war relief supplies, while the remaining amount will go into the general fund and will be used for Red Cross recreation centers, which alone are permitted within Army posts, and at Army hospitals.

Serving with Dr. Pritchard on the committee are C. W. Jones, chapter chairman, Mrs. Frank Spencer, secretary-treasurer and Harry Lange, publicity.

Sierra Madreans In Pacific War Zone Reported Safe

Though communications across the Pacific are slow these days, several local families have received word of the safety of relatives. Sam Graham, city engineer, on leave and working for the war department at Honolulu, has sent word to his aunt, Miss Thomasella Graham. Word has arrived from Pan-American Airways and Lester Fennell that no harm has come to the Fennells, who were stationed at Cavite, Philippine Islands. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sieler of East Grand View avenue have received a message from their son Eugene, who is with the Marine Air Corps at Midway Island.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Badger of 105 South Lima had a radio message from their son and his family who are stationed at Honolulu. A. R. Badger is a lieutenant in the National Guard and was with the first National Guard Unit sent to the Islands in 1940.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holland had a communication Monday from their son Bud Holland, saying he was OK and comfortable. No information has come through regarding the whereabouts of Ben Lyon, Robert Vieira or John Ropp, all somewhere out in the Pacific.

Survey Shows Folks Ready In Defense

Many Sierra Madre Citizens Offer Services And Accommodations

Report of Mrs. Grace B. Caukin at the second meeting of the Civilian Defense Council Tuesday evening revealed that 1300 inquiry forms have been returned to the Civilian Defense office by the 62 women assigned to conduct a survey of the city last week.

Emergency housing data already compiled shows that 1,436 beds are available and that bedding will be required for 605 beds; 46 camp cots could be loaned to general headquarters. There are nine station wagons available, 7 trailers, and over 25 trucks.

Many qualified women have signified their willingness to serve as camp cooks or assist in the operation of field kitchens, while younger women have offered to act as waitresses and messengers. Scores of women who are unable to work away from home, have declared themselves willing to do any amount of work at home.

Mrs. Caukin also stated that her committee has prepared a list of doctors, doctors assistants, dentists, practical and registered nurses and social welfare workers.

In a letter to Mayor W. J. Schiltz, Mother Emma Gale, provincial superior of the Sisters of St. Francis of Penance and Christian Charity who are buying the Barlow Estate, has offered to house 20 women or children during any emergency which may arise.

Better Do It Now

During the emergency precipitated by the dastardly invasion of America by Japan it is more important than ever that every loyal Sierra Madrene be a regular reader of the Sierra Madre News, so that they may be kept informed of local policy, National Defense and other regulations necessary to be observed here. There is no other way to get this information as well as all the hometown news and happenings except through the hometown paper, BE ALERT and awake to your responsibilities. Better subscribe for THE NEWS now.

As a result of soaring costs of type metal, paper, ink, and every other essential of newspaper production, many publications in the San Gabriel valley and throughout the nation have advanced the subscription price. Soon it will be necessary to do so here. Better get your subscription in now; its only \$2 a year and the mailman will deliver your copy ever Thursday morning.

ANNOUNCE PLANS TO PROTECT SCHOOL CHILDREN HERE DURING THE EMERGENCY

Superintendent Announces Rules To Be Followed In Blackouts

Preliminary war emergency advice to parents and school children was released yesterday by Gerald Smith, school superintendent, with the view of achieving maximum protection for Sierra Madre children at all times.

Mr. Smith states that "It has been agreed when the warning signal for an air raid is given, children should be kept in school, in order that they may be under supervision during the danger period. Glover's book on 'Civil Defense,' shows that 98 per cent of the casualties in England among children was caused by

Christmas 1941

Twenty-four years have passed since the United States has celebrated Christmas in a time of war, but neither wars nor the thunderous salvos of battle can, or have ever, stilled the deathless message of this season.

Again the ageless carols of Christmas ring out through Christendom, telling of that silent, holy night in Bethlehem, of the three wise men of the East bearing gifts to the Christ child, of shepherds, keeping faithful watch of their flocks on Galilee's hills, whose souls were struck with awe and wonder when a great star appeared in the sky over the humble manger.

Nearly twenty centuries have run their course since that first Christmas, but the awe and wonder felt by the shepherds in Galilee still has the power to move the hearts of men. The hope and the promise of "Peace on earth, good will toward men," is still the ideal toward which all men of good will are striving. It is the cause and ideal for which this country has taken up arms in order that peace-loving peoples may truly and rightly inherit the earth.

This year, constant as ever, red be-ribboned wreaths, the mistletoe and holly, and gaily lighted Christmas trees again adorn homes and stores with Yuletide magic. Come what may, to the youngsters this oldest of celebrations on Christendom's calendar, is ever as new as tomorrow, shot through with tingling suspense over the Christmas morning raid on the gift sack Santa left for them.

Rightly enough, the spirit of giving belongs to this season, when heart fires are banked deep with kindness and thoughtfulness toward all men of good will—to whom we extend warm and heartfelt greetings of the season!

AN IMPORTANT DEFENSE BULLETIN TO EVERY SIERRA MADREAN

To All Citizens of Sierra Madre:

Information relative to your resources and skills is urgently needed by the Sierra Madre Defense Council. As head of a family or as an individual living outside the family unity you are asked to fill out a questionnaire.

Do this even though you believe you have nothing to contribute. If you have not already received and filled out one, get your questionnaire immediately at the city hall.

Please realize we are now at war! This information is needed immediately.

Do not use the telephone unnecessarily during times of emergency. The swamping of municipal switchboards here and in other nearby cities, seriously hampers the official communications.

Two simple short words with a tremendous meaning which we should all abide by. In fact we must be calm and KEEP CALM in this great emergency, for to be otherwise would be playing directly into the hands of our enemies.

A virtual deluge of rumors, bulletins, upsetting and disquieting headlines, as well as shocking stories and "announcements," will now descend upon us from every conceivable source. Such has been the system of those who would destroy us, as they have destroyed others.

SIERRA MADRE DEFENSE COUNCIL.

COMPLETE LOCAL DEFENSE COUNCIL IS APPROVED BY MAYOR SCHILTZ

Mayor Schiltz, general chairman of the Sierra Madre Defense Council has confirmed appointments of committee members as submitted by various chairmen of the Council.

Chief of Police Gordon McMillan, in charge of civil protection has named on his committee, Fire Chief W. D. Richards, James C. Heasley and George Norris.

Edwin Ward, chairman of human resources and skills, will be assisted by Gerald Smith, school superintendent; Wm. Lees, city

building inspector, and Richard Hawks.

William Schwartz, whose official work will be with transportation, housing, works and facilities, has chosen for his committee Harold Roberts, William Burr, Clarence Huntsinger and W. B. Durham.

The committee which will work under the chairmanship of Thomas Reynolds on health, welfare and consumer interest is as yet incomplete, only C. W. Jones and Leslie Webster having been appointed.

The public information committee headed by Paul Carter includes L. R. Goshorn, Margaret Ellison and Waverly E. Pratt, who is also Defense Council coordinator. All information will pass through this committee, with the front office of the city hall designated as the central clearing office. Information from each committee will be compiled by the chairman and sent on to Mr. Pratt.

Announcement was made by Mayor Schiltz that a representative from the County Health Dept., working out of Monrovia and having for his territory, Monrovia, Arcadia and Sierra Madre, will organize and instruct a group of local men and women for health service.

Chief McMillan's committee is now zoning the town into sections, which will be assigned to air raid wardens who will be appointed soon.

Nation Must Preserve Its Liberties

Bill Of Rights Celebrants Hear America In Colossal Struggle To Hold Them

Declaring that most Americans would be unable to define the doctrine of democracy, but that we are now engaged in a colossal struggle to defend it, Dr. Donald Tippet inspired and delighted 175 Sierra Madreans present at the Bill of Rights sequentennial dinner at the Woman's Clubhouse Monday night.

A brilliant speaker, with a keen understanding of American psychology, Dr. Tippet held the undivided attention of his audience, while with insight and humor he traced the democratic and totalitarian ways of thought from the years immediately following the reign of Solomon, down to the present.

The struggle which preceded the addition of the Bill of Rights to the United States Constitution was given a clear and concise interpretation by the speaker who said, "There is nothing that we can cherish more in a democracy than preservation of the liberties in the Bill of Rights. Totalitarianism grows up from within; this we

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Santa Claus At City Park Wednesday

Coming To Children's Party Under The Big Deodar Tree

Following the splendid tradition of previous years, Sierra Madre's volunteer firemen will again bring Christmas happiness to local children, whom they will entertain at a Christmas party to be held around the lighted Christmas tree in the city park Christmas eve at 7 o'clock.

Tuesday they will fill stockings for 500 children, and after the party Wednesday will go quietly about town leaving dolls, scooters, games and other toys they have rehabilitated for youngsters.

Toys have come in quantities to the toy shop during the last week and now are all bright and renewed for Christmas. Mrs. Edythe Cole has dressed 27 dolls, each of which will delight the heart of some little girl.

Many tickets have been sold for the annual Christmas dance and card party of the firemen which will be held on Saturday evening at the Woman's clubhouse, thus assuring well filled baskets for local families whose paths have been rough during the year.

Interesting note of this affair will be the appearance of the Norris Family Orchestra which will provide music for the evening. Tickets are still available, and every ticket sold assures just that much more Christmas happiness for someone in our town.

Xmas Decorations Go Up Downtown This Evening

Green fir trees in tubs lined streets in the business section yesterday, as Sierra Madre prepared to go forward with the traditional celebration of the Christmas holidays. By this afternoon all will probably be trimmed and ready with gay lights, which will also be strung around the Pacific Electric station. Monday evening, Richard Welles began his broadcast of Christmas music in the downtown area, which will continue through the holidays.

Downtown decorating is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce which is also responsible for securing the fine recordings which are being broadcast.

Police Issue Regulations To Be Followed During Air Raid Alarms

Give Blackout Signals And Rules To Be Observed Until All Clear Siren Is Sounded—Citizens Advised To Remain In Homes During Period Of Darkness

Air raid warning instructions issued to all Sierra Madreans this week by Chief of Police Gordon McMillan and Fire Chief William Richards are as follows.

One continuous two minute blast of fluctuating pitch will signal air raid danger. Sounded in the night, it will call for immediate and complete blackout.

Citizens are advised to remain inside their homes until the all clear is sounded. This will be one two-minute continuous blast of steady pitch. Chief Richards advises that all homes have one room, preferably the kitchen, completely blacked out.

Upon sounding of the air raid alarm, all motorists shall park immediately off the main traveled portion of the highway, turn out all lights and walk to safety. These conditions must be maintained until the all clear is sounded.

No private vehicles may be operated during the blackout, and colored cellophane or other means of dimming headlights will not be permitted on such vehicles. Motorists now driving with this type of lights are asked to remove all blackout materials from headlights at once.

Only emergency vehicles may be operated during a blackout and they alone will be permitted to use official blackout lights. Chief Richards also advises that all homes should have a bucket of sand on hand at all times; and that motorists, for their own convenience, should have blankets in their cars, and a first aid kit which would be available in an emergency.

Christmas eve communion and carol service will be held Wednesday night at 11:30, at the Congregational Church, where a beautiful service will also be given on Christmas Day.

At St. Rita's Shrine the adult choir will sing at the 6:30 mass. Children will sing at 8 o'clock and the youth's choir will be heard at 11 o'clock.

A world of interest awaits those attending the service at Bethany on Sunday, Dec. 21 at 3:30 p.m. when the Sunday School will present the Christmas program.

A revolving world globe, six feet in diameter will provide part of the background. All departments and some of the young people will participate. There will be Christmas music and Mrs. Arbelina St. John will appear in Mexican costume as guest soloist. Miss Wilda Miller of China will also participate in costume and a recording made especially for this program will be played by Miss Joy Ridderhof.

ANNOUNCE MODIFICATION OF PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ENLISTMENT IN THE NAVY

Many Defects To Be Corrected During Period Of Hospitalization

A relaxation of physical standards for enlistments in the U. S. Navy and the Naval Reserve was announced this week by the Navy Department. In commenting on this action, the Navy Department announcement stated that numerous men who in past months have sought to enlist and have been rejected on the basis of minor physical defects will, because of the modification of physical standards, be encouraged to re-apply for enlistment in either the regular Navy or the Naval Reserve for the duration of the emergency.

The Navy Department has requested that any person knowing of young men who have been barred from enlistment in the Navy or the Naval Reserve because of minor physical reasons should bring this modification in physical requirements to the attention of these young men.

Applicants with varicose veins will be acceptable under the changed standards, this varicose condition to be corrected, if

the condition is painful, at the Naval Training Station to which his new recruits are sent. Hydrocele, another defect that formerly ruled out numerous applicants, will be corrected, if necessary, after enlistees arrive at training stations. Applicants suffering from hernia will be accepted provided their I. Q.'s are 75 or better. Recruits suffering from hernia will be treated at the training stations and will be enrolled for schooling during their periods of convalescence.

Other physical defects which formerly prevented men from being accepted as recruits, but which now are waived, are seasonal hay fever; correctable nasal deformities or nasal deformities of such a degree as not to interfere with duty; undernourished and underdeveloped applicants will be given at not due to organic disease. Denial of training station.

Any applicant who has been rejected because of any of the defects noted above is urged to re-apply for enlistment in the Navy or Naval Reserve immediately. All applicants accepted with defects requiring correction will be hospitalized.

SOCIETY

HANSEN'S ENTERTAIN FOR THEIR HOUSE GUEST

Honoring their niece, Mrs. Clifford Overton of Salem, Ore., who has been their houseguest for a week, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hansen of 219 N. Sunnyside, entertained with a luncheon Friday to which were invited, Mrs. Gus Moore of Harlan, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reams of Long Beach. The Hansen's and Mrs. Overton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reams for dinner Sunday. Arriving at the Carl Hansen's this weekend to spend the holidays, are Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hansen and daughter Louise, of Pocatello, Idaho.

HONOR TWO BIRTHDAYS AT SIX TWO OAKS

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Dudley of 6T Oaks were host and hostess at a large dinner party Saturday night in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Elba Wessell of Ocean Park, and Mrs. Elmer Brownlee of Los Angeles. Guests added to the dinner and evening's entertainment included Dr. and Mrs. Elba Wessell and Dr. and Mrs. George Wessell of Ocean Park; Judge William Nye and Mrs. Nye; Judge Frank Smith and Mrs. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brownlee; Mr. and Mrs. Val

Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lawrence; Mrs. Bessie Wight, Oscar Overell and Arthur Chambers, of Los Angeles, and Judge Mackal and Mrs. Mackel of San Marino.

CHRISTMAS TEA BRINGS OVER 100 TO PARISH HOUSE

Red candles and sprays of holly, arranged on small tables in the parish house of the Church of the Ascension, set a colorful motive for the annual Christmas tea given last Friday afternoon by the Woman's guild. Over 100 people were served between the hours of 2:30 and 5:00 p.m. Among guests from out of town were Mmes. Lottie Elwood, Ernest Yerxa and Emily Childs of Pasadena, and J. R. Bramble of Monrovia.

MRS. HALL PERRY HOSTESS AT CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

Poinsettias and holly formed the decorations at a Christmas luncheon given Tuesday by Mrs. Hall Perry at her home on E. Laurel Ave. Guests who participated in a Christmas grab-bag included Mmes. Alice Mackerras, George McRoberts, Louise Hayden, William L. Rhoades, Mary Goodfellow, Agnes Robertson, Roxana Martin, Edie Anderson, Janet Wood, Huldah Baird, An-

gela Clarich, Margaret Bullock, Gilla Bullock, Margorie O'Donnell, Louise Dunne, Helen Hutton, R. H. McCullagh and John S. Neal, and Misses Jean Woodward and Camilla Shearer.

KENNETH ALLEN TO WED WISCONSIN GIRL

Miss Gladys M. Sissel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis G. Sissel of Casco, Wis., and Charles Kenneth Allen, son of Mrs. Marion Hays, will be married at 10 o'clock Saturday morning in the Congregational Church by Rev. Frederick Groetsema. Mrs. Hays announced their engagement this week. Kenneth is a graduate of P.J.C. and was formerly in the Navy, stationed on the Plane Carrier, U.S.S. Lexington.

SOCIAL NOTES

A Christmas bridge-luncheon given Tuesday by Mrs. Earl S. Bullock of 472 Grove, was attended by Mmes. Steve O'Donnell, Ernest Best, Al W. Miller, Norbert Peterson, J. Stadden Miller, Norman Eaton and Harry Lange.

Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Miller of 119 W. Grand View, will entertain Mrs. Lillian Neal of Alhambra, and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Miller at dinner on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. O'Banion will be Christmas dinner guests of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Syester of Orange.

Among friends who have accepted invitations for Christmas dinner with Mrs. A. E. Pulling and children, Ronald and Kathleen, are their houseguest, Mrs. E. Cousen, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pulling and family, Miss Edna Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sharp and daughter Midge, and Miss Joy Bennett of Pasadena, and Miss Addie Pulling of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Smith of 71 N. Lima will be Christmas dinner guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Strak of Glendale.

A family Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold I. Stitt of 261 N. Highland, will be attended by Mrs. Helen Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Stitt of Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stitt of Whittier.

Mr. and Mrs. Murto McVior and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Russell will be Christmas guests of the Irving N. Ward's of 109 E. Grand View.

Joining in a family Christmas dinner at the J. F. Sadler's of 368 Mariposa, will be their daughter, Mrs. Helen Sadler Starr of Los Gatos, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Sadler of Los Angeles.

Mrs. L. A. Sherman of 501 N. Baldwin, was luncheon hostess Tuesday, to Mrs. Roy Woodyard, Mrs. Earl Mater and Mrs. George Connelly of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Morse of 188 Santa Anita Ct., will attend a Christmas dinner Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. McHenry in Pasadena. The dinner is an annual affair given by members of a club to which Mrs. Morse belongs.

Mrs. Grace McCarty of East Sierra Madre Blvd., will be present for a family Christmas dinner at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCarty of Mariposa. Mrs. Bess Ryan of Los Angeles will also be a guest.

Christmas in the Carl Hansen's home at 219 N. Sunnyside, will furnish the occasion for a family reunion at which will be present Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hansen of Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hansen of Reno, Nev.; and Mrs. Marian Newman and Mrs. Elsa K. Hansen of Pasadena.

Mrs. O. M. Hare of 297 W. Highland, will spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. John Hora of Altadena.

In celebration of Mrs. J. S. Billheimer's birthday, Sunday, she and her husband were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson in Pasadena. During the afternoon and evening Mrs. Billheimer received calls and visits from many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan MacConnell of Beverly Hills were dinner guests Saturday at the home of Capt. and Mrs. E. G. Everett of 68 Vista Circle Dr.

H. E. Gabriel of 145 E. Alegria, left last Sunday night for Memphis, Tenn., and Jacksonville, Fla. He will remain in Jacksonville for the Christmas holidays which he will spend with his daughter and son-in-law, Lieut. and Mrs. G. L. Huff.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Linder of 60 S. Michillinda, were dinner guests Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bankson in Los Angeles. The Linder's entertained Mr. and Mrs. Budd Mole of Temple City for dinner Saturday night, and for Sunday dinner had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Thomas of Baldwin Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Kortkamp of Hollywood; Miss Vivian Yule of Pasadena, and Robert Burris, will be Christmas dinner guests of Percy C. Kortkamp's of 32 Park Ave.

Mrs. W. J. Ladd of 258 Mariposa, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barrington will spend Christmas with the Paul V. Ladd's in Altadena.

The Willis M. Holtum's of 343 N. Lima, are planning a trip to San Francisco to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. G. L. Holtum.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Perloff will

celebrate Christmas in Los Angeles at the home of Mrs. Perloff's mother, Mrs. Henry Kahn. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bowen of 735 Canyon Crest Dr., will spend Christmas with Mrs. Bowen's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. George Blumer of Altadena.

Christmas holiday house-guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. Stadden Miller of 65 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., will be Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCormack from San Diego, and Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. William Collier of Ventura.

Christmas dinner guests of the Paul N. Carter's of Mt. Wilson Trail, will be Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watson and family, and Mrs. Harriet Wright of South Pasadena.

Billy Edwards, who is attending school in Joliet, Ill., is expected to be present for a family Christmas dinner at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards of 307 Mariposa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Eitner of 915 W. Foothill Blvd., Arcadia, will have as house-guest during the holidays, Mrs. Eitner's father, A. Quintini of San Francisco.

Capt. and Mrs. E. G. Everett spend Christmas in Long Beach with Mrs. Everett's brother, H. S. Wright.

Mrs. E. C. Foster's of 65 S. Baldwin, will be a Christmas guest of her son, Frank Foster in South Pasadena.

Barbara Colligan of 102 E. Mira Monte, will leave Christmas night for a visit in Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burr of E. Montecito will entertain with a Christmas Eve party for Mr. and Mrs. Herman Landgraff of Arcadia, and Mr. and Mrs. John Morris of Alhambra. On Christmas Day the Burrs and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rasmussen will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burr of Arcadia.

Rev. and Mrs. Frederick Groetsema and family, have been invited to the home of Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Nicholson in Pasadena, for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Murdoch of 191 N. Baldwin, celebrated their 43rd wedding anniversary, Sunday, with a quiet dinner attended by Misses Jessie and Agnes Murdoch of Palo Verde Estates.

—Libby Trimble.

Desk Sergeant Is Added To City's Police Force

Recommendation of Chief of Police Gordon McMillan to cancel the leave of absence granted to Officer Arthur Johnson early in the autumn and return him to regular police duty, effective December 16, has been approved by the city council. Johnson will serve as desk sergeant, and Fred Lewis will be retained as his present status. This will increase the number of regular full time officers to six, with Craig McLaughlin continuing to serve on extra duty.

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First Aid Classes Are Limited Now; Schedule Given

On instructions from Red Cross Headquarters for the Pacific area, Dr. W. B. Heagerty, in charge of first aid classes, announces that first aid certificates will be given only to those citizens who will have practical outlet for their knowledge. For the present complete instruction will be limited to members of the community who are serving with the Civilian Defense Council, in one of the various relief or protection capacities.

However Dr. Heagerty states that anyone wishing to come in and sit through the classes is privileged to do so. Schedule for Red Cross First Aid classes now being conducted by Dr. Heagerty is as follows:

Class No. 1—for school employees, Monday afternoon from 3:30 until 5:30 at the grammar school.

Class No. 2—Tuesday from 10 a.m. until 12 noon at the Woman's Clubhouse—filled.

Class No. 3—Thursday from 10 a.m. until 12 noon at headquarters.

Class No. 4—Thursday afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock for mixed group at headquarters.

Classes being conducted by Mrs. E. R. Thompson are on Wednesday from 10 a.m. until 12 noon, and 2 until 4 p.m. and on Friday at the same time.

First aid night classes will be opened by James Harper on Jan. 7 at the grammar school from 8 until 10 p.m.

State treasuries collected \$1,327,277,000 from highway users in 1940, according to figures released by the Federal works administrator. State gasoline taxes accounted for \$870,136,000, motor vehicle fees \$439,178,000 and motor carrier taxes \$17,913,000.

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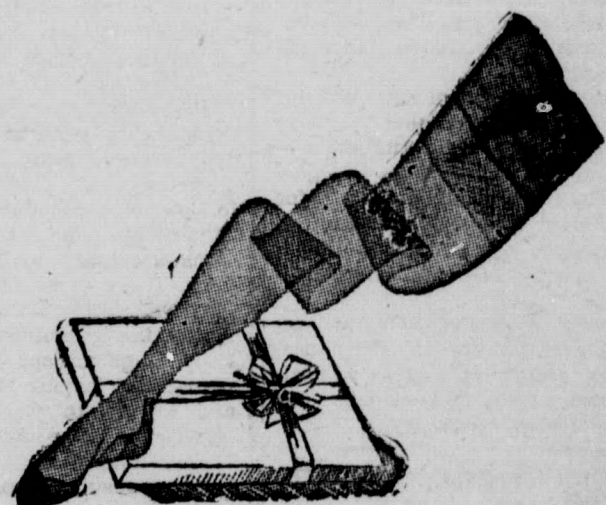
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FREE DELIVERY



Mrs. E. W. Hunt and daughter Mary, who have made their home at 650 W. Montecito since December 1939, left Tuesday for Evanston, Ill.

A new resident in Sierra Madre is Mrs. Caroline Camplin, formerly of Wilmington, who is now making her home with Captain and Mrs. E. G. Everett, 68 Vista Circle Dr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shilner and family of Lake Arrowhead were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hibbs of 249 Ramona.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Kortkamp of North Hollywood spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Percy C. Kortkamp of 32 Park.

Mrs. James Stewart of Pittsburg, Penn., visited for a few days last week with Mrs. J. P. Langstaff of 415 Sturtevant Dr.

Mrs. Stewart was on her way home from Portland, Ore., where she had been visiting her mother.

G. M. McRoberts, Jr., who is attending U. C. in Berkeley, and Bud McRoberts, a student at U.C.L.A., are home for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Julia O'Grady who has been attending a nurses training school in San Jose, will arrive home Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. E. O'Grady of 535 Manzanita.

While Dr. L. L. Krebs of 332 Sturtevant Dr., was in Palm for the weekend, Mrs. Krebs had as her houseguest Mrs. Harold Kelley of Beverly Hills.

E. Wright, president of the Regional Planning Commission of Los Angeles County, presided Saturday at their luncheon meeting in the Los Angeles County Museum. Mrs. Wright was also among the 150 members and guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Tyree of 140 S. Hermosa, accompanied by Mrs. Tyree's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George McLaughlin of Glendale, attended a meeting of the Peace Officer's Civil Service Organization, held Monday evening at the Casa Manana in Culver City.

Miss Alice James of 38 E. Grand View, will leave next week for Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, to attend a National Conference. She is going as a delegate from the University of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hill and family of San Jacinto will spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Hortense Hill of 251 S. Baldwin.

Miss Bette Kelly will be heard in a part for five solo voices in a performance of the Bach Oratorio which will be presented next Sunday at 3 p.m. in the Pasadena Civic Auditorium under the direction of Dr. Richard Lert. Miss Kelly, a soprano, is a pupil of Mrs. Grace McCarty and has given several recitals in Sierra Madre.

Mrs. Gilbert Bovard of 159 West Montecito avenue will leave Friday for Mason City, Iowa, to visit her son and sister over the holidays. While in Iowa she will also visit her brothers Ray and Glenn Klemme.

—Libby Trimble

Arts Guild To Equip Field Kitchen For Emergency Use

Placing the facilities of the Arts Guild at the disposal of the Civilian Defense Council, Mrs. Alfred J. Dewey announces that work is underway to equip the adobe studio on East Montecito avenue as a field kitchen for efficient feeding and handling of 50 persons in case of necessary evacuation of coast areas, or any other emergency.

The large studio room and entry reception room afford ample space to accommodate 12 or more large tables. The kitchen is equipped with two stoves, sink, cupboard and counter space, but additional table service and utensils are needed.

Actual number of items needed before the station will be ready, are 30 plates, 50 cups, 30 heavy glass tumblers, 25 saucers, 50 serving spoons, 25 saucers, 50 soup bowls, large kettles and pots, two dish pans, knives, forks, spoons, trays and oil cloth or other table coverings.

Mrs. Dewey asks that those

having contributions, bring them to the adobe between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. or to Mrs. Iva Johnson, at 675 Orange Drive. Those having no means of transportation may call CU 5-6162 at any hour and the utensils will be picked up and delivered.

LEWIS FAMILY IN ITS NEW HOME HERE

President R. C. Lewis of the Sierra Madre Savings Bank, Mrs. Lewis and their daughter Jean, have moved into their lovely new home at the head of Neher drive, where they enjoy a magnificent view of the San Gabriel Valley from the front exposure and an unsurpassed view of the adjacent mountains from the patio and rear exposure. The family has resided in Long Beach for many years, occupying a prominent place in the beach city's civic and social affairs.

British War Relief Ordered To Go On

Annual election of officers of the Sierra Madre Chapter British War Relief was held Thursday. Mrs. J. Andrew Hall will continue to serve as chairman, assisted by Mrs. A. E. Pulling, vice-chairman, Mrs. R. E. Wright, secretary, and Miss Lalla Fagge, treasurer.

This week Mrs. Hall received a letter from Southern California headquarters stating that President Roosevelt has advised that British War Relief activities should continue as part of the general effort for the "Common Cause." Therefore work at the Woman's club house is continuing as usual.

It is a great temptation to glance at gayly decorated store windows at this time of the year, but don't do it while you're driving your car.

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Los Olivos Olives Stuffed, green 3-oz. 17c
4 1/2-oz., 20c Jar

Gulf Kist Oysters For Turkey 5-oz. 12c
Dressing

Willapoint Oysters Choice Pacific 15 1/2-oz. 18c
can

Dunbar Shrimp Wet or dry pack 5-oz. 17c
can

Royal Satin Shortening For baking or frying, (3-lb. can, 57c) 1-lb. 21c
can

Spry Shortening 3-lb. 66c 1-lb. 24c
can

None Such Mincemeat 2 pkgs. 21c

R & R Plum Pudding 1-lb. 27c
can

Diamond Walnuts Large, banded 1-pound 25c
cello bag

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EDWARDS. Vacuum packed, drip or regular grind. 1-lb. 27c
can

COFFEE HILLS BROS. Red Can Brand. The correct grind. 1-lb. 31c
can

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Castle Crest Peaches No. 2 1/2 17c
can

Libby Peaches Sliced or halved No. 2 1/2 17c
can

Red Cherries Maraschino Type 5-oz. 9c
bottle

Hostess Delight Fruit Cocktail No. 1 11c
can

Libby Fruit Cocktail No. 1 12c
can

CANNED VEGETABLES

Country Home Corn No. 2 11c
can

Del Monte Corn Country Gentleman No. 2 12c
can

Santa Cruz Artichokes 8-oz. 10c
can

Sacramento Asparagus All green tips. 10-oz. 16c
can

Briargate Green Beans Choice of vertical pack or cut beans. No. 2 12c
can

Del Monte Beans Early Garden cut green. 2 No. 2 25c
cans

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Ground beef suet. For puddings.

PIECE BACON 1-lb. 25c
Choice quality, sugar cured bacon.

BARRACUDA 1-lb. 25c
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"A review this morning leads me to the conclusion that at present we shall not have to curtail the normal articles of food. There is enough food for all of us and enough left over to send to those who are fighting on the same side with us."

—President Roosevelt.

(In radio speech of Tuesday, December 9, 1941)

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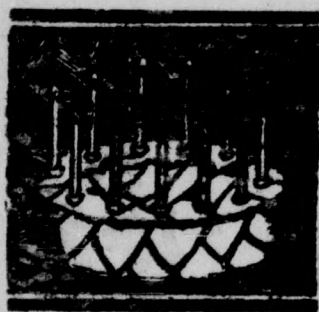
Patience and fortitude conquer all things.—Emerson.

GOOD-BYE TO PEACE

And now it's good-bye to the present to the land of peace we knew, good-bye too the days when Americans could view the deadly rain of bombs on Warsaw, Rotterdam, London or Chungking, and say, "Well, it's not our war." It's good-bye too the days when America could remain aloof or indifferent to the tread of armed forces bent on world conquest. And it's good-bye to the voices of disunity and confusion, and to business and life as usual for 132 millions Americans.

The turn has been called, and not by us. The bombs that broke the Sunday morning calm upon Hawaii mocked America's valiant efforts to preserve the peace. They shattered, probably forever, America's dream of insular safety and marked the beginning of Japan's most titanic effort to bring true the dream that has haunted her for half a century—the dream of being ruler of the Pacific, uncontested master of Asia. Bewitched by delusions of her "New Order," Japan was not content to accept law-abiding partnership in the Pacific with the United States and Great Britain. All or nothing is the credo of the fanatic zealots in Tokyo and their desperation, for in staking her existence on this last wild throw of the dice, she has done nothing less than commit national suicide.

America's conscience is clear. This nation has long pleaded with Japan to abandon her ruthless course of conquest. We have generously offered her access to all supplies and raw materials if she would cease her policy of aggression. To no avail. Instead, Japan deliberately launched war against us, in so doing, she fished her own death warrant. The United States will proceed to sign and seal it.



NEW NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madrenes, whose birthdays are indicated . . .

Edward Decker	Dec. 19
Guy Steinberger	Dec. 19
Joseph Grippi	Dec. 21
M. H. Selk	Dec. 21
Maxine K. Davis	Dec. 21
Otto Semke	Dec. 21
Mrs. Stella Dennison	Dec. 21
Ronnie Hurwit	Dec. 22
Elizabeth Harvey	Dec. 22
Mrs. R. C. Copenhaver	Dec. 22
Geraldine Davis	Dec. 23
Mrs. J. A. Kramer	Dec. 23
Russell Cromwell	Dec. 23
Carole Coumbe	Dec. 24
Mrs. D. Vanderpool	Dec. 24
Boyd B. Keith	Dec. 24
George Scott	Dec. 25
Marcelle Bergien	Dec. 25
Egbert Embree	Dec. 25
Mrs. Louise Bray	Dec. 25
Mrs. C. M. Clark	Dec. 25
Mrs. Charles J. Young	Dec. 25

IT'S A DAUGHTER

A new member of the Kenneth M. Bush family, is Joanne Miller Bush, a 6 pound daughter who was born December 2, at the Queen of the Angels Hospital in Los Angeles. Mrs. Bush and Joanne arrived home last Thursday.

The.... Watch Tower

By Percy Poore Sheehan

COMMUNING with the prophets. Getting their unmistakable and unanimous message. Their prophecy being this: That America will win the war—that such present enemies loosely named Germany, Italy, Japan, will emerge from war cleansed of their evils as surely as ever was that unhappy man of the Gadarenes—that tamed and that meek; as America and her friends likewise will be purged of certain evils. Nonetheless, America, to a degree only dreamed of hitherto, a citadel—the foremost citadel—of the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory. And that big statue in New York Harbor—the Lady with the Law-Book and the Torch—become the symbol of a new order—not just for Europe, nor just for Asia, nor just America—but for the World.

A statement of the prophecy in the hearts of all of us, we know; but one which might well be repeated from time to time. To give us the serenity and wisdom of good warriors must have. To free ourselves of any trace of fear, or of mean suspicion and hate. Among our friends here in Sierra Madre—and the friends of all of us—are Germans, Italians, and Japanese. Let's never give them the slightest reason to feel that we regard them as anything else than friends. Especially those of Japanese birth or parentage. We say especially the Japanese because, as one of them himself said while discussing the difficulties of his people, "We have, as you might say, such a high visibility—we are American but we do not look American."

We met a Japanese mother of our acquaintance, one of the most loyal of Americans anywhere, we'd take our oath; and long a resident of Sierra Madre where all who know her know her worth. Herself highly educated and the wife of a Japanese scientist, the mother of four adult children, two boys and two daughters, all of whom are also university graduates or on their way. But all of whom, these children, having been born in America, American citizens by right and faith. We know these boys and girls, as we know so many others of their Nisei brethren and sisters here in Sierra Madre. Better Americans it would be hard to find—we believe, impossible to find. Well, in any case, it warmed our heart to hear the mother of at least these four Nisei tell us how kind the people of our town had been—always—and since—the war began.

So then, about this communing with the prophets. Call it, rather, a sort of "sidereal navigation"—steering by the stars through hurricane and blackout. Meaning, simply, that we've been reading this new anthology that has just come to our excellent Public Library. It's *THE VIKING BOOK OF POETRY* (then, in smaller type) of the *English-Speaking World*. And, does it make you proud to belong to that "English-Speaking World?" Yea, and how! Like reading the best parts of the Bible—the St. James version; none of these modern distortions. "Thou, which hast shewed me great and sore troubles, shalt quicken me again . . . bring me up again from the depths of the earth." Or, hear our own Psalmist, Walt Whitman: "I speak the pass-word primeval, I give the sign of democracy . . ."

Good reading, all of it, this book—especially now in war-time, and just when we've been celebrating that ancient Bill of Rights, which is the very soul of our "English-Speaking World." (Even if it wasn't codified and passed by the English Parliament until 1689, it had long before become a thing of life and voice in England.) But especially good now, for some of us Americans, to read Walt Whitman again. For what was this "pass-word primeval"—this "sign of democracy?" He tells us: "Whoever degrades another degrades me." Or, this: "By God! I will accept nothing which all cannot have their counterpart of on the same terms."

Walt says: "I hear and behold God in every object." He says: "I think I could turn and live with animals, they are so placid and self-contained . . . They do not sweat and whine about their condition, they do not lie awake in the dark and weep for their sins, they do not make me sick discussing their duty to God; not one is dissatisfied, not one is demoralized by the mania of owning things, not one kneels to another . . . not one is respectable or unhappy over the whole earth."

He says (with not very good Spanish but perfect spirit): "Camerado, I give you my hand! I give you my love—I give you myself . . ." And that's the spirit that will win the War—and win the Peace. It's the spirit of Sierra Madre and of America.

MARCH OF RIMES

By H. F. NOAKE

VAGABOND

There he goes, down the winding road, the remnant of a man, headin' where? God only knows. A body, once so straight now badly bent, and aching feet in shoes no longer new. Yet better than his clothes, which, but for pins, would fall apart, to bear a broken heart. His pockets, are they empty too? Nobody knows, but there he goes, forgotten. No friends, no home, just memories of some one kind, and opportunities, forever left behind. At night no bed except beneath the stars, and food he has to beg, or go unfed. How does he bathe? Perhaps in friendly stream that flows along the way, who knows? It makes one wonder seeing men like him pass by, could such a man, someday, be you or I?



When coming events, they say, cast their shadows before them, but on the sumptuously arrayed shelves and in the glittering show windows which are greeting the greatest shopping season in the nation's history, there is small hint that rations will soon be the fashion. California offices of the OPM have just warned that come the first of January, or shortly thereafter, many now familiar goods and services will be conspicuous by their absence or scarcity. Defense is no respecter of luxuries or non-essential items. Permanent waves and phonograph records, both users of acetate, are on the suspect list. Ethyl gasoline for non-defense use will vanish from the market in a few weeks, and so will the manufacture of metal office furniture, juke boxes and steel hairpins. But consumers haven't been singled out to carry most of the burden. Retailers who will have to say, "Out of stock!" to many requests fully sympathize with them. Chain and independent stores have pledged their all-out support to the OPM's war on waste and are enlisting the pledges of all consumers in the patriotic effort to buy wisely and conserve carefully. Even the term "waste" paper will soon be a misnomer, as every shopper will agree on hearing the country's retailers face a 670,000 ton shortage of so common a product as wrapping paper. On scores of other goods, from aluminum to zinc, the nation must be prepared for rationing or doing without. Conservation week used to come once a year. Now conservation is the everyday business of everyone from manufacturer to retailer and housewife.

Twenty years ago the average rate for electricity for domestic service was 7.45 cents a kilowatt hour; by the end of 1940 it had been cut to 3.48 cents and is steadily being lowered. America's program for a two-ocean Navy has taken another stride forward. During the month of November, the U.S. Navy Department announces, warships were launched at the rate of more than one a day. A total of 33 ships went down the ways, 5 new vessels joined the expanding two-ocean fleet, and keels for 52 new warships were laid. The man in the street is no idle spectator of this mammoth building program. He is directly and voluntarily helping pay for it. The public's support of the defense savings bonds and stamps program has been pouring a stream of dimes, quarters and dollars into the defense efforts. In the first month of that program, reports the Treasury Department, the public's investment was sufficient to pay for four of the great battleships now under construction, or enough for 20 cruisers or 100 destroyers. Through the nationwide collaboration of retailers, defense stamps are now available at virtually every store counter. As a double value investment in the nation's defense and in personal security, defense stamps are giving small change a real chance to do big things.

New gloves are now being made in such a way that they can be worn on either hand. If you lose one, you can replace it. On the worldwide stage where every major power is grimly engaged in seeking to tilt the scales toward victory for its side, the United States has again given new strength to anti-axis forces. To Turkey, at the strategic crossroads of the Middle East, extension of lease-lend aid will bring needed additional war supplies, in exchange for which this country will receive chrome, a vital product to our armament effort. Good luck and a sizeable army have thus far kept Turkey out of hostilities. Precariously perched atwart the Nazis project-line of march southward into Iran, Iraq or against the Suez Canal, the Turkish republic holds

Time was when an orange in a Christmas stocking was an unusual gift. Today California Oranges are commonplace in all seasons all over the country. But perhaps we can recapture the memory of those days and glimpse our own present good fortune in the following current news item.—Copenhagen, Denmark. The first Christmas oranges have gone on sale this week. The price, \$1.20 each.

In these days of clashing opinion, it's a rarity of the first order when a measure runs the gauntlet of the House of Representatives without encountering a single dissent. But that rarity happened the other day when the house unanimously passed a pension bill for its own members. The measure provides that a congressman who serves five years or more, and pays 5 per cent of his salary into a retirement fund during his years of service, will receive on his retirement a pension ranging from a minimum of \$714 a year to \$5,000 depending on his length of service. Politics being the hazardous, unpredictable occupation it is, representatives want some of that social security they've been providing for many of their constituents. The pension goes into effect whether representatives retire voluntarily or are forced into retirement by voters at the polls.

Justice weakened by shockingly unjustified leniency is a far different thing from justice tempered with mercy. It was an injustice to justice that was committed in the parole of Ramsay, King and Conner, found guilty of coldbloodedly murdering a man who refused to follow the party line of Ramsay, King and Conner. The weak excuses given by the Parole Board majority which ordered these men's release fails to justify its action. Unfortunately, the whole affair reflects discredit upon the parole system, for it is the abuse of that system, not its good use, which is longest remembered.

The first sleeping car in the world was operated between Harrisburg and Chambersburg, Pennsylvania, in the winter of 1836-37. It was a remodeled day-coach, and the berths or bunks

were very crudely built. The car was divided into four compartments, each of which was equipped with three bunks, one above the other, all built along one side of the car. At one end of the car was a wash basin. A wood or coal stove furnished the heat, and candles furnished the illumination.

The face of California in these last 18 months has undergone great change. Upon once open fields and range lands now stand army camps; once idle shipyards now resound to the riveter's rat-a-tat; new naval bases and aircraft plants have sprung up; once quite communities have been shocked into life as new defense plants, bringing two to five-fold increases in the wage-earning population, have transformed them into bustling, thriving towns. Great as this change has been, it will pale before the industrial expansion yet to come. The program for a vast stepping up of armament production, of raw material manufacturing, of building new plants and adding to present ones, fortells that the battle to outproduce Hitler has only just begun. The Axis hasn't seen anything yet, but when it does California can be proud of the fact that her industries and her people will have had a major share in bringing the Axis to defeat.

Dan Cupid has been a little reluctant about withdrawing arrows from his quiver since California two years ago passed a law requiring a medical examination of couples before marriage. In that two-year period, Reno's marriage license business has doubled, from 11,061 in 1939 to 20,700 in 1941, up to the end of November. But since the outbreak of war on December 7, marriage license bureaus in many sections of California report a landoffice business, with many enlisted men among the enrollees in Cupid's ranks. Mars, it's evident, has prodded Cupid into speaking right out loud.

From little whispers mountainous rumors grow. The Monday morning quarterback, now in guise of armchair strategists, are now telling us what's wrong with the Army and Navy. These people, most of them well-meaning, are specialist on "inside information." With no access to information denied anyone else, they will solemnly pass off the most irresponsible rumors as fact. Unknowingly, the rumor-monger abets the enemy. Wide awake Americans will discourage or avoid them.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR—Fortified oleomargarine, reinforced with Vitamin A and D. Revolving doors equipped with "electric-eye" mechanism. For beauty shops, a new combination radio receiver and hair drier . . . the patron can get her own private program over the air-waves and also over the hair-waves, for the music comes out right in her hair, along with the warm air . . . The tiniest thing yet in midjet transformers, for use in electric hearing aids, is one that measures 7/16 by 7/16 by 3/4 inches.

LETTERS from Readers

PRaise for Kiwanis

Editor Sierra Madre News: It was indeed inspiring to note the profound admiration our local Kiwanis club has shown Col. H. B. Hersey at its last gathering and rightly so.

Without any fanfare the Col. describes how an American can accomplish almost anything he sets out to do, and although he concentrates upon any given job with every mental fiber that is in him, at the very same time he is quite impatient with intolerance; an ugly force that is foreign to the democratic way of life. Such sincere words may well become the talisman for all Sierra Madrans.

Sidney Brandler
Sierra Madre, Dec. 15.

LIKES "THE NEWS"

Editor, SIERRA MADRE NEWS
Sierra Madre, Calif.
The most important newspaper that comes to us in Washington in my opinion, is my copy of the SIERRA MADRE NEWS. I believe I am one subscriber who doesn't miss a word of print in the entire paper. Of course, I told Larry Goshorn many times what a perfectly swell paper I think he has—personally, I think it's the finest little newspaper in the United States, (and that isn't off the record). However, regardless of all that, it gives me the news of the town which is most dear to me—and which I shall always call my home. I have a real visit with the home-folks every week, whether they know it or not—and enjoy every moment of it.
WASHINGTON, D.C.
December 10, 1941
Edith Woodnoff
Secretary of Congresswoman, Hinshaw

What's Going On At The Grammar School

AS TOLD BY THE PUPIL-REPORTERS

Miss Hank's Class: At our last class meeting we elected Jack Champlin President, Vera Swanson vice-President and Phyllis Young Secretary. We kept the same council member who is Richard Quinn. During the meeting we had an interesting discussion on what we want to be when we grow up. George Tyree gave an exceptionally fine speech on airplanes and was requested to give it again the next morning for the 7B class. Dick Champlin spoke on the different ranks and insignias of the officers in the Army and Navy. Jack Champlin told us about his main interest—photography, explaining how trick shots are made.

Miss Newton's Class: Our class has made many presents for our relatives and friends. Among them are book-ends, magazine racks, bread-boards, cupboards, doll beds, and what nots. On the nineteenth we are going to exchange gifts in our room at our Christmas party. Richard Hawks is our new president. Betty Steward and Boyd Keith represent our class on the safety committee.
—By Boyd Keith

Mrs. Adams' Class: I came from the Third Street School in Los Angeles. This school has about 950 children in it. It is a very big school, and it has about twenty-seven classrooms. It takes up a full block.
Merritt Williams

Mr. Larsen's Class: Instead of exchanging gifts this year, we are going to give defense stamps. This will mark the beginning of a defense stamp drive in our class. We feel this is more patriotic and just as much fun as giving gifts.

In social studies, we are studying about South America. We have divided up into committees working on minerals, agriculture, clothes, food, government, etc. Conditions being as they are, this is an interesting time to study South America.
Louie Williams

Mrs. Adams' Class: In school we are having a Christmas play which will be held Thursday afternoon for the children, and Friday afternoon for the parents and friends. In our class we are knitting a baby blanket for the Red Cross.
—Ardis Jacobson

ALMANAC

WHAT HAVE YOU TO SAY?
—Marcus Aurelius

Nothing can be produced out of nothing.

DECEMBER

17—South Carolina banned slave imports, 1792.

18—U. of Alabama chartered by legislature, 1820.

19—Palestine rebels suffered heavy defeat, 1938.

20—U. S. took formal possession of Louisiana, 1803.

21—U. S. invaded by Japanese many fatalities, 1899.

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Duties Of Women In War Told Members Of Junior Club

The Sierra Madre Jr. Women's Club was represented by 12 members at the Los Angeles County conference of Jr. Women's clubs at its Monday evening meeting in the Los Angeles headquarters. Patriotism and home defense were stressed. The history of the flag was given, and a member of the ambulance corps explained the regulations and duties of the women who have signed up for this service.

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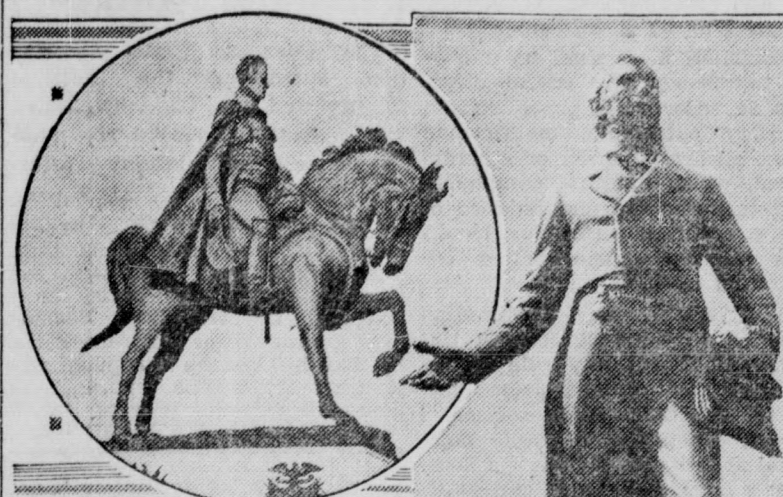


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Statue of Simon Bolivar
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We will publish additional authentic feature articles dealing with the significant personalities and fundamental institutions of Latin American countries whose newspaper publishers are co-operating with Publishers' Reciprocal Program (Inter-American) by printing in their newspapers feature articles backgrounding and interpretative of our 'way of life' in the United States.—Editor.

By EDWARD C. JOHNSTON

A few years ago there was unveiled in Caracas, the capital of the South American republic of Venezuela, a statue of a great Pan-American. The inscription on it, written in Spanish, reads: "Henry Clay, 1777-1852, Apostle of fraternity between the countries of America and valiant defender of their independence. The United States of America presents to the United States of Venezuela this statue of its illustrious statesman, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Senator and Secretary of State."

The statue, given in return for one of General Simon Bolivar, the South American champion of independence and Pan-Americanism which was unveiled in Central Park in New York city in 1921, was formally dedicated by a distinguished delegation from the United States and the statue was received by the President of the Republic of Venezuela.

This ceremony, which honored the man who, in the United States, has been called "the First Pan-American" and "the Father of Pan-Americanism," was a significant one in the history of the nations of the New World. It was a gesture of friendship on the part of the most powerful of those nations to a smaller nation which has reason to feel grateful to an older sister in the Pan-American family. For to the Venezuelans the statue, erected in the square in their capital to which they have given the name of Plaza Henry Clay, means more than a mere memento of a great man. To them Henry Clay was a friend, not only a friend in words, but a friend in deeds as well and the monument will stand as a constant reminder of that fact and of the international good will which prompted the presentation of it to their country.

As early as 1816 Henry Clay began his campaign in the Congress in support of the colonies of Spain, then in revolt. Clay in his capacity as Speaker of the House of Representatives, reasoning that the United States might have openly "to take part with the patriots of South America," opposed the reduction of taxes incident to the War of 1812, and a year later likewise opposed a bill intended to stop the fitting out of war vessels in United States ports, maintaining that such a bill might be detrimental to the interests of South Americans who were still struggling for their freedom.

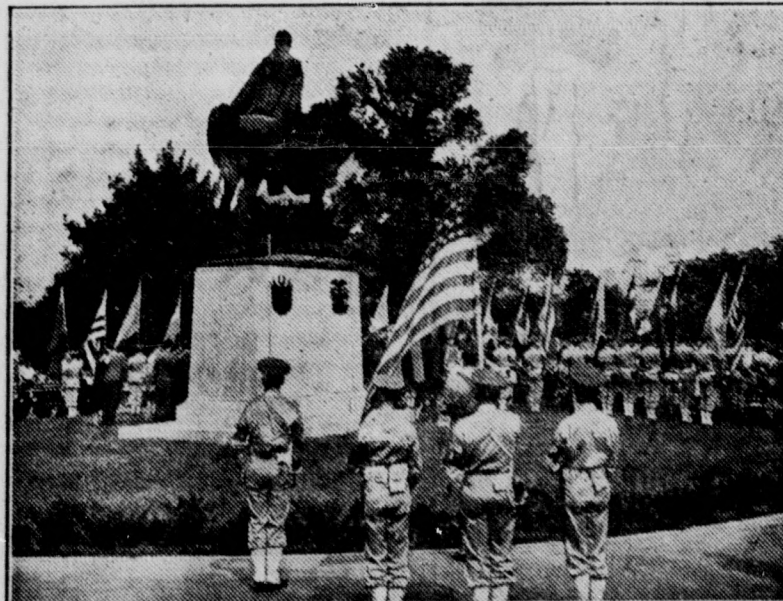
In 1817 he offered a proposal to authorize a salary for a minister to the provinces of the Rio de la Plata. In March, 1818, Clay made the speech which is still gratefully remembered by South Americans. Like all of Clay's ora-

This speech gained for the United States generally and Henry Clay in particular many friends among the South American countries, who were destined to increase when, in 1820, Clay introduced a motion into the Congress to inaugurate diplomatic intercourse with "any of the governments of South America which have established and are maintaining their independence of Spain." The next year, as the result of a resolution he supported, President Monroe sent a special message to Congress and a resolution to establish intercourse with the South American nations.

When Clay became secretary of state in 1825, his zeal in promoting friendship between the republics of North and South America became apparent almost immediately. He has been hailed as "the Father of Pan-Americanism" in the United States because of the steps which he took to encourage the success of the congress at Panama in 1826, which convened at the call of Simon Bolivar. The United States was not in the first list of countries, but at Clay's suggestion this country later was included. The invitation gave Clay an opportunity to prepare instructions to the United States delegation, which in every feature seems to accord with the principles which have governed the Pan-American movement and the Good Neighbor policy of recent years.

One of the facts about Clay's influence upon the international policy of the United States which is not commonly known to most North Americans is in regard to the so-called "Monroe Doctrine." The principles enunciated in that famous document Clay forecast in July, 1821. He had been pleading the cause of the South American patriots with brilliance and fervor in the Congress, which was more or less indifferent to it. Slowly, however, public opinion was won over and when finally in 1822 the purchase of Florida was ratified, President Monroe began to recognize the new republics. The next year the President uttered the words which have been famous as the "Monroe Doctrine," although they might more justly be called the "Clay Doctrine," for had not Henry Clay prepared the way for them and contributed ideas to the formulation of the doctrine, they might never have been uttered. Clay's last great Pan-American work as Secretary of State in 1825, was to organize European influence, particularly that of Russia, to prevail upon Spain to discontinue the war against her former colonies.

The story of this man who was so signally honored in the Venezuelan capital as a figure of in-



Massing the colors at the statue of Simon Bolivar in Central Park, New York City, during the recent celebration of the 158th anniversary of his birth.

tions, it was stirring; it was the first plea voiced for recognition of the countries then shaking off the domination of Spain.

Alone in Congress he thundered and pleaded sympathy for "the 18 millions of people struggling to be free."

international importance is one of the most romantic in American history.

Closely associated with the names of General Simon Bolivar and General José de San Martin in the story of Pan-Americanism one finds the name of Henry Clay.

SERGEANT YORK FILM HERE NEXT WEEK

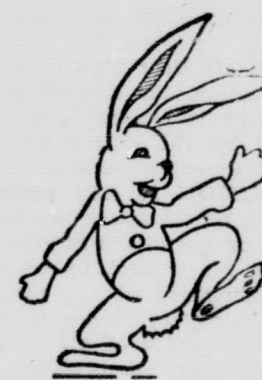
A pleasing feature of entertainment coming to the Wistaria Theatre is the well-known film production of "Sergeant York". This will be shown commencing Christmas Day through to Saturday, December 27th, with a special matinee on Christmas Day commencing at 2 in the afternoon. This film has been proclaimed by all the critics as one of the most masterful and thrilling pictures of the year.

The theatre has completed arrangements whereby in the event of a blackout, not a light will be visible from the outside, yet those inside will be able to continue in comfort to enjoy the show.

LEWIS FAMILY IN ITS NEW HOME HERE

For holiday fun, Pasadena Community Playhouse brings back Lee Shippley's joyous novel, "The Great American Family" to span the Christmas season from December 23 to January 3. Special holiday matinees are slated for December 26-27-31 and January 3.

All-time holder for comedies at the Playhouse is this Robert F. Chaplin-Charley King play from the Shippley best-selling novel. Three years past it stayed at the Playhouse for a six-week sold out period and already the mailmen are indicating a repeat with reservations piling in.



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PUBLIC NOTICE

Ordinance No. 411

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE RELATING TO AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS

The City Council of the city of Sierra Madre does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. As used in this ordinance the following words and phrases shall mean:

"Air raid warning signal" shall mean a signal, by siren, whistle, horn or other audible device, of two minutes duration consisting of either a fluctuating or warbling signal of varying pitch or a succession of intermittent blasts of about five seconds duration separated by a silent period of about three seconds.

"All clear signal" shall mean a continuous signal, by siren, horn or other audible device, of two minutes duration at a steady pitch.

"Period of air raid alarm" shall mean the interval of time between the giving of the air raid warning signal and the giving of the next succeeding all clear signal.

"Blackout structure" shall mean any space so enclosed that any illumination maintained or existing therein is not visible from any point outside such enclosure.

SECTION 2. The Chief of Police is hereby authorized and directed to cause the sounding of an air raid warning signal and of an all clear signal when, and only when, the district in which the city is located is notified so to do by the United States Aircraft Warning Service.

SECTION 3. Any person who effects or maintains any illumination, or permits any illumination under his control to be effected or maintained, at any place within the City of Sierra Madre during any period of air raid alarm in the hours of darkness, except within a blackout structure, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 4. The maintenance or leaving of any illumination, except within a blackout structure, without provision for its extinguishment, within one minute after the commencement of a period of air raid alarm by a competent person over the age of eighteen years attendant at the place where such illumination is controlled, is hereby prohibited.

SECTION 5. In order to enable the Chief of Police to conform to the request of the United States Aircraft Warning Service for the obscuration, diminution or extinguishment of any illumination, whether in or out of doors, which increases the vulnerability of the City of Sierra Madre, or any portion thereof, to air attack, or for the regulation of traffic during the period of air raid alarm, the Chief of Police may adopt and promulgate reasonable rules and regulations for such purposes, and any rules or regulations so adopted by him shall be and remain in effect for thirty (30) days thereafter, but no longer unless approved within said time by resolution of the City Council; provided, however, that any rule or regulation so adopted by the Chief of Police may at any time be rescinded by resolution of the

City Council. Violation of any such rule or regulation so adopted and promulgated is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor.

SECTION 6. It shall be unlawful to disobey any lawful direction or order of a peace officer, highway patrolman, or fireman given during a period of air raid alarm, which order is reasonably necessary for the maintenance of public order or safety or to effect the extinguishment or obscuration of light.

SECTION 7. Any illumination contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, or to any rule or regulation adopted and promulgated in accordance with section 5 hereof, constitutes a public nuisance, and the same may be summarily abated by any peace officer, highway patrolman, or fireman. Any structure may be entered by any peace officer, highway patrolman or fireman, using reasonable force if necessary, for the purpose of abating such a nuisance by extinguishing such illumination.

SECTION 8. At the commencement of a period of air raid alarm, the operator of any motor vehicle shall forthwith bring such vehicle as far as possible to the side of the street, road or highway off the main traveled portion thereof, and the operator of any street car, shall bring such motor vehicle or street car to a stop clear of any crossing, intersection, fire house, fire plug, hospital or other emergency depot or area, and during the hours of darkness shall extinguish all lights therein or thereon and said motor vehicle or street car shall remain so situated during the period of air raid alarm, unless directed or ordered to move by a peace officer, highway patrolman, or fireman.

SECTION 9. The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to blackout emergency vehicles, which shall include the following:

1) All Army and Navy vehicles;
2) All vehicles with United States Government credentials indicating the necessity of emergency movement;
3) All authorized emergency vehicles as defined in sections 44 and 44.1 of the Vehicle Code of California.

4) All vehicles being operated by members of the California State Guard while actually on duty;
5) All vehicles of volunteer personnel engaged in the operation of the Aircraft Warning Service of the Fourth Interceptor Command while such personnel are actually going to or from their posts of duty.

6) All vehicles certified by sheriffs, district attorneys, the California State Highway Patrol, police chiefs, and fire chiefs, when within the respective territorial jurisdictions of the certifying office, as being essential to the preservation of the public peace and safety or to the dissemination of public information or to the national defense; provided, however, that such vehicles shall conform to the uniform lighting regulations approved by the Department of Motor Vehicles and the California State Highway Patrol for blackout emergency vehicles. No certificate shall be issued which conflicts with any regulation or order of the United States Army applicable in the area for which the certificate is issued.

SECTION 10. It shall be unlawful for any person without authority, during any air raid alarm, to use, wear, exhibit or

Orchestra To Present Christmas Fantasy

The Pasadena Civic Association sponsoring the Festival Chorus and the Civic Orchestra will present the second free public concert on Sunday afternoon, December 21st, at 3 p.m., at the Pasadena Civic Auditorium, Richard Lert conducting. The program will open with the Christmas Fantasy, based on a song by the late Carl Thomas and arranged for full orchestra by Sarah Coleman Bragdon and Harlow Mills. The chorus and orchestra will also present Bach's CHRISTMAS ORATORIO.

possess any uniform, insignia, credential, or other indication of authority, or any imitation thereof, adopted and issued by any official civilian defense organization.

SECTION 11. Any person who shall operate a siren, whistle or other audible device in such a manner as to simulate an air raid warning signal or any all clear signal, except upon order of the Chief of Police, or other proper authority, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 12. The provisions of every ordinance of this city and every administrative order made pursuant thereto, requiring any illumination to be maintained in conflict with this ordinance or with any rule or regulation made pursuant to section 5 of this ordinance, shall be deemed suspended during the period between any air raid warning signal and the next succeeding all clear signal.

SECTION 13. Any person who shall violate any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding three hundred dollars (\$300.00) or by imprisonment in the City Jail or in the County Jail not exceeding three months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 14. This ordinance is required for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and the following is the statement of facts constituting such urgency: The United States is at war and this city is in great and continuing danger of air and other attack by the enemy.

SECTION 15. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not effect other provisions or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

SECTION 16. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and cause it to be published once in the Sierra Madre News, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in this city and thenceforth and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

The foregoing Ordinance was adopted at an adjourned meeting of the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre, held on the 16th day of December, 1941, by the affirmative vote of the following Councilmen, to-wit:

AYES: Councilmen Miller, Carter, Froehlich, Schwartz and Schlitz.

ABSENT: None.

NOES: None.

and signed and approved this 16th day of December, 1941.

W. J. SCHLITZ Mayor

ATTEST:

WAVERLY E. PRATT

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As It Appears To me

Because our next day publication is Christmas Day, and the paper will not reach you until the 26th., this is our Christmas issue, and somehow we are expected to get across to you the thought that the Christmas spirit is still around us, even though most of the world is now bent on the destruction of millions of lives—and opposing doctrines.

So often I have wondered why those of us who profess Christianity spend so much time to resist putting it into practice, and get ourselves into such ungodly muddles thereby. Take honesty for instance. I have always maintained that Americans are not fundamentally honest.

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Today with great sincerity I salute all of the mothers and fathers in town, who have sons out in the Pacific somewhere. Most of them don't know where their boys are—yet while some of the rest of us have become all a-jitter, they have faced today and the possibility of a tragic tomorrow with a splendid courage.

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GUILD WOMEN WILL FILL XMAS KITS

Members of the Woman's Guild of the Church of the Ascension will pack kits for residents of the Rancho Los Amigos at a special meeting to be held Friday afternoon from 2 till 4 in the parish house. They will fill 12 kits for men and 12 for women. Tea will be served by Louise Allan.



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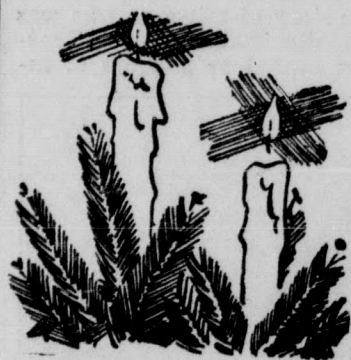
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tongue may cause a strained relationship in one neighborhood, but the woman involved says she's glad it happened. In picking up the phone to make a call the other day she overheard part of a conversation on her party line. One woman was saying to another, "We're all going to be evacuated to Arizona immediately." And before thinking, the third and uninvited party on the line chimed in with, "Why you silly woman. We are not!"

During these days while we are under the stress of war, hysteria and rumor, it seems people are really showing the stuff of which they are made. . . the pessimist and the optimist . . . the individuals who remain as cheerful as possible in order to make as happy a world as they can and perhaps remove some of the tenseness of our nerves . . . and the individuals

CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS TO MARK BEGINNING OF SCHOOL VACATIONS

Christmas vacation for students attending the Sierra Madre Grammar School, Woodrow Wilson Junior High School, Monrovia High School, and Pasadena Junior College, will begin with the closing of school Friday afternoon and continue until Monday, January 5.

At St. Rita's school, children will return for classes Monday, and will be released for the two-week Christmas holiday on Tuesday. School will reconvene on January 5th also. Because of the world crisis and illness which has kept many students away from school there will be no general school assembly at St. Rita's before the beginning of the holidays. Instead each classroom will arrange and present a short Christmas program.

"When Christmas Comes" the operetta scheduled for presentation at the grammar school Friday evening, will be given at 2 o'clock, so that all children may be home before dark. Principal characters in the cast will be Lois Wood, Nathan Tarr, George Tyree and Dirk Cable. Supporting players will be Dick and Jack Champlin, Ray Hinkley, Richard Quinn, Nancy Cate, Virginia Vieira, Dick Johnson and Walter Richter.

Three holiday dance sequences will be given by girls from the four upper grades.

This interesting operetta consists of a sequence of small scenes depicting the various significant traditions surrounding the meaning and origin of Christmas.

Seventy-five children appear in the cast for which costumes were designed by Miss Florence Lusted and Mrs. Zayda Leonard. Girls in sewing classes made their own costumes, while much

who choose to be disagreeable and fault-finding, thereby making even little tasks less easily and gracefully accomplished. The latter have little knowledge of the art of "Winning Friends and Influencing People."

I've been getting quite a kick out of a news item clipped from a Mid-western paper, part of which reads as follows: "But the most interesting part of the program will be the exhibit of feminine workmanship. No doubt many clever services and many excellencies will be displayed and helpfully described. There is but one nonentity in the club's membership and she is doing her bit by encouraging the others to bring out their candles from under the bushels."

of the scenery was designed by the art classes. Miss Lusted designed the stage sets, S. E. McElfresh is in charge of lighting effects and stage crew, and Miss Adele Davidson assisted with the dance sequences. The P. T. will hold a short business meeting at 1:30 Friday afternoon, and at the close of the Christmas program, room mothers will preside at the Christmas treat they have arranged for the children.

Four Generations To Join In Xmas House Party Here

Four generations will be represented at the Christmas house party planned by the F. D. H. Moote of 689 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. comprising the four generations are Mrs. J. M. Moote, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. R. Moote, Mr. and Mrs. Graeme Smith, and son Bobby Smith. Other members of the family invited to participate in the Christmas eve and Christmas Day festivities are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cheeseman and son Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cheeseman of Glendale; Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Poundstone of Los Angeles; Mrs. Anna McGuffin and Miss Ann McGuffin of Westwood.

Local Boy Assigned To Army Air Corps

Another young Sierra Madren giving valuable service to the country now is Pvt. George J. Otte, son of Mrs. Mary Agnes Otte of 318 N. Baldwin Ave. just graduated from the radio communications section of the Air Corps Technical School, at Scott Field, Ill. Otte graduated from St. Rita's School, and later attended schools in Los Angeles and Pasadena, began his professional radio career in Bakerfield where he worked as a technician. He has now been assigned to new duties as radio expert in the Air Corps.

Church Club Packs Xmas Baskets

The Consors Club of the Congregational Church met Tuesday night at the home of Muriel Tarr at 274 W. Montecito. Ruth Miles was co-hostess at the meeting and Mrs. Sam Kirk was in charge of the musical program. Members of the Club devoted the larger part of the evening to the packing of Christmas baskets to be distributed in Sierra Madre. Last weekend they sent a large box of toys to Fresno for the migrant children.

OBITUARIES

B. FRACCAROLI

Requiem mass was conducted at St. Rita's Shrine Saturday morning for Batista Fraccaroli, 55, who died Tuesday at his home in Santa Monica. Roman service was held at Grant Chapel Friday evening and interment was in the family burial plot at Wilmington. Mr. Fraccaroli was born in Breonio, Italy but had lived in California for the last 30 years. Surviving is Serafino Fraccaroli, a cousin who is a well known resident here.

PHILLIP S. SMITH

With Dean Arnold G. H. Bode officiating, final rites for Philip Stanley Smith, 71, were conducted Sunday afternoon at Grant Chapel. Interment was private.

Mr. Smith, who was the owner of Cypress Court and made his home there, died suddenly Tuesday night. He was the inventor of the first automatic paper box machine, and had also invented several other types of machinery. Mr. Smith was born in Saybrook, Conn., came to California 14 years ago and for the last nine years had made his home here. He is survived by his widow Mrs. Amanda Smith.

MAUDE A. DUKESHIRE

Maude A. Dukeshire, resident of Sierra Madre for several years passed away Tuesday morning in Altadena. Mrs. Dukeshire who was born in Brookfield, Nova Scotia, is survived by her husband, Philip Dukeshire, and a daughter Dora of 383 W. Grand View Ave.; three daughters Melba Dukeshire of Boston, Phyllis Dukeshire of Newberry, Mich., and Mrs. Claire Bowers and two children, also of Boston. Funeral service and interment will be private.

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FRIENDLINESS TO LOCAL JAPANESE URGED BY A WELL-KNOWN WRITER

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They are not in any way responsible for the diabolical acts of the military and naval dictators of Japan who have been ruthless in imprisoning Japanese liberals opposed to war, as they

were teacherous in their attack on Hawaii. We Caucasians have known the Japanese colony here as a kindly, peace-loving, law-abiding people. Their children have been educated in our public schools and universities and are loyal to our American ideals and institutions. As neighbors they have contributed generously of their money, time and services to civic improvement projects. They have worked for many of us in our homes, and we have always found them unfailingly loyal and devoted in their friendship for us.

Their children are Americans, proud of their citizenship under the Stars and Stripes. Many of them have already answered their country's call to service and are in the nation's armed forces, ready to defend the United States in this hour of peril. Let us make it our duty to be especially kind to the parents of these young Americans of Japanese descent. By friendly expressions of goodwill we shall exemplify the real spirit of Americanism and Christian

Girlhood Friends Meet After 52 Years

Mrs. Mary M. Peterson of 263 W. Highland and Mrs. Clara Sedeker of Hollywood were close girlhood friends in Mill Creek, Utah, 52 years ago. Mrs. Sedeker moved to California at that time and the two had not seen each other since, until last Friday when Mrs. Sedeker, accompanied by Mrs. Willardson and Mrs. Mortenson, also of Mill Creek, called on Mrs. Peterson for an all day reunion. Mrs. Peterson is now making her home with her daughter, Mrs. L. S. Ward of 270 W. Highland.

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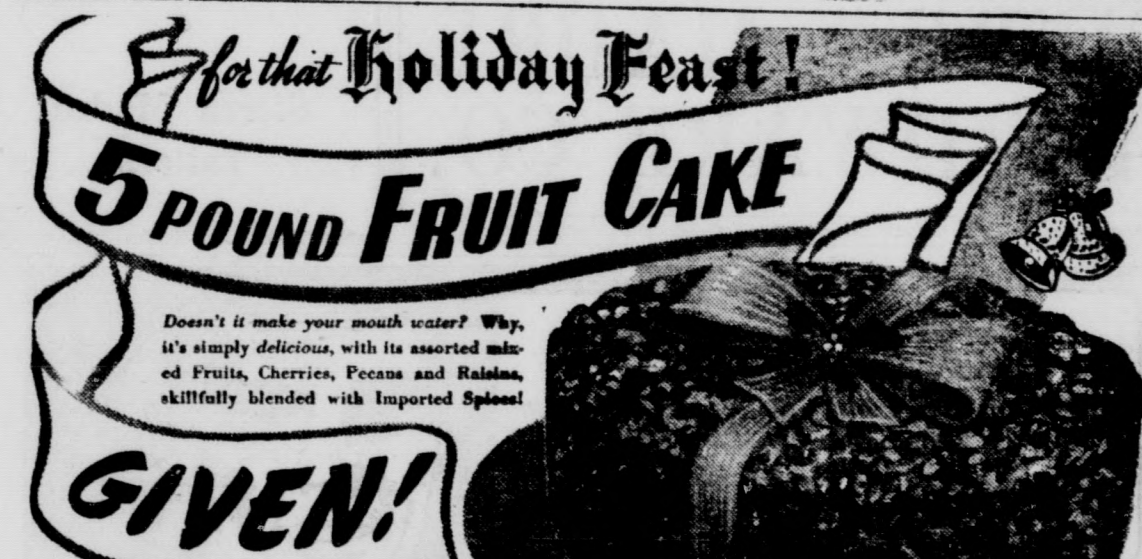
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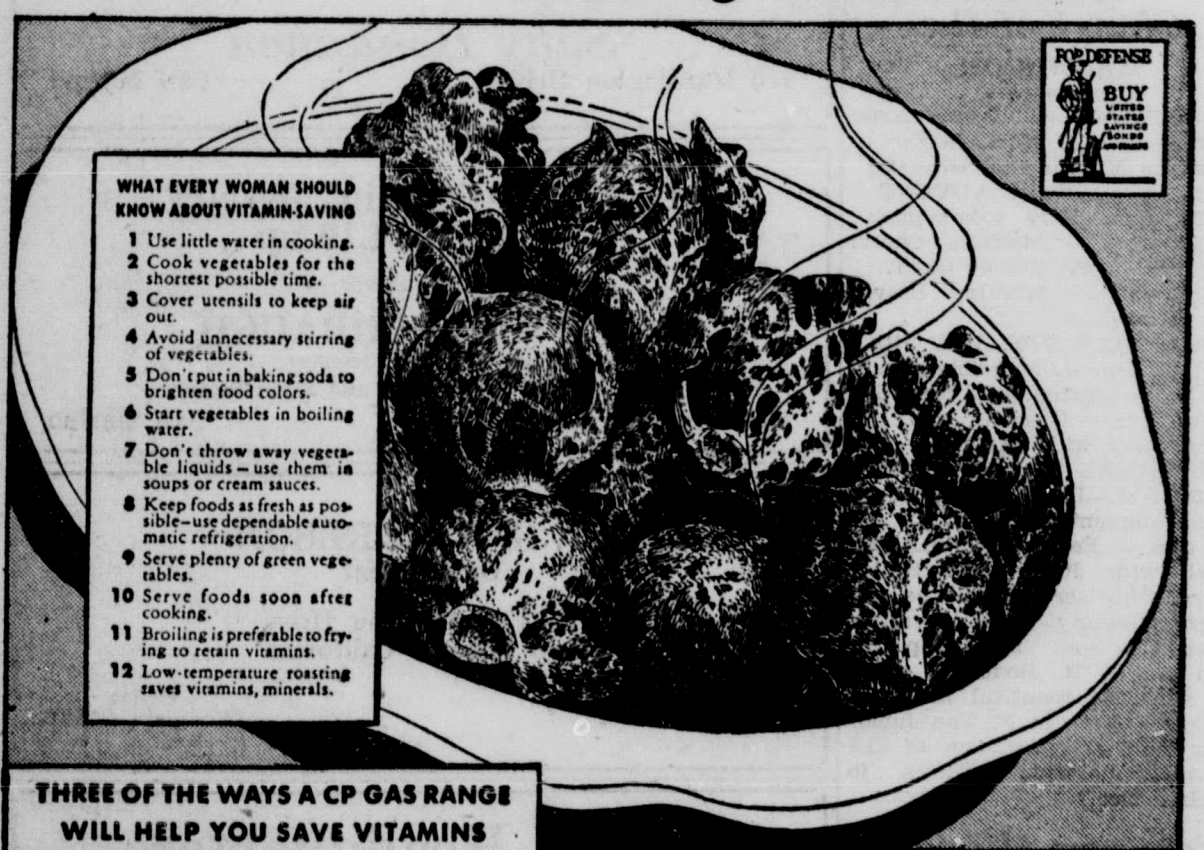
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associate patron; Mrs. Agnes Tyree, secretary; Mrs. Helen Sandage, treasurer; Mrs. Helen Main, conductress; Mrs. Frances Nyberg, associate conductress; Mrs. Edna Holland, chaplain; Mrs. Leila Roberts, marshal; Mrs. Madge Hare, organist; Mrs. Orrella Stinman, warder, and Miles Huntoon, sentinel.

Five rays of the star taking office were, Mrs. Alice Hogan, Adah; Mrs. Dola Ann Black, Ruth; Mrs. Anna Gerty, Esther; Mrs. Cecil Gerty, Martha, and Mrs. Frances Brain, Electa. All were gowned in white and carried bouquets in which lavender flowers predominated.

Installing officers were retiring worthy matron, Mrs. May Schneebarger; retiring worthy patron, Ben Stinman; Mrs. Zella Elliot, past matron of Monrovia, and Mrs. Lilly Barton, deputy grand matron.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walker, who served as the worthy matron of

the Sierra Madre chapter in 1913, was mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. Orrella Stinman officiated as installing marshal, Mrs. Nell Shrader, installing chaplain, and Mrs. Olwen Covell, installing organist.

Mrs. Hortense Hill, past matron, and beloved resident of the community, was escort of the Holy Bible. John Henderson was flag escort and as soloist sang "Smiling Through," as Mrs. Henderson came through the gateway to be charged with her office. Clarence Sandage was flag-bearer.

Presentation of a silver gavel was made to Mrs. Henderson by Mr. and Mrs. Claire Gerty. Mrs. Gerty was chairman of hostesses which included all past matrons and Mrs. Jessie Udell, Mrs. Grace Caulkin, and Mrs. Nellie Loomis. Ushers were Henry Nord, Raymond Andrews, Boyd Keith, Thomas Henderson and Thomas Schwartz.

AMERICA IS OUR COUNTRY SIERRA MADRE JAPANESE SAY IN STATEMENT

Will Fight For It 100 Per Cent Nisei's Declare—Thank The Townspeople

A statement of the Sierra Madre Japanese residents was released last night by Michi Nomura, well-known here and son of Charles Nomura, who has lived and been in business in this city for many years. The statement follows:

"At this time we the Issei (first generation) and Nisei (second generation) Japanese people in Sierra Madre, wish to thank all our friends here. We thank you for your friendly smile when you greet us on the street and for the privilege of going on

with our business without any uncertain feeling or difficulty. "We feel that we cannot help but be loyal to the United States because of your attitude and the living conditions this country has given us.

"My father has lived in this country for 41 years and is as much American as we who were born here. He believes that it is unfortunate that Japan should follow the tactics of Hitler and fight the United States—the United States which has given him the freedom to live as any other American lives.

"We Niseis know that if in any event we are called to fight for the United States we will do so 100 percent. This is our country and we will back it up in spite of any propaganda or prejudice that might come up."

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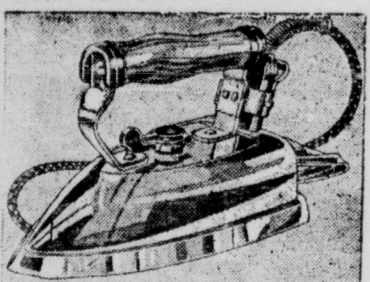
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Named to the board of directors to assist Mr. Hansen and Mr. Lange are C. B. Klunk, Frank Spencer, Richard Hawks, Al Madin, Gerald Smith, Clarence Huntsinger, and Erwin Roberts.

The Charles Klunk Trophy was awarded to Clarence Huntsinger who was named outstanding Kiwanian of 1941 for his fine service as chairman of the Kiwanis Recreation Center.



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Tuesdays — St. Rita devotions, 7:30 p.m.

Congregational

The Church of the Singing Tower
Rev. Frederic Grootema, Pastor

Sunday — Church School, 9:45

Worship service, 11 a.m.—Both choirs will sing. Sermon, "The Manger King."

5:30 p.m.—Vesper pageant: "The Unfinished Carol." A lovely pageant telling the story of the greatest carol of all. Children of the entire church school will participate.

6:30—Chimes.

No Pilgrim Fellowship, no Sunday evening service.

Christmas Eve Communion and carol service at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday and a Christmas fantasy, "Dust of the Road."

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this midnight Christmas service.

Bethany Church

Non-Denominational
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Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Minister

Sunday — 9:30 a.m.—Bible school. Classes for all ages.

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. "Who Is Jesus Christ?"

3:30 p.m.—The Bible School Christmas program.

5 p.m.—Three Christmas Endeavor Societies.

Christmas carols Christmas morning by our young people.

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9:30 a.m.—Children's Choral Eucharist with Junior Choir.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

CHRISTMAS EVE, Dec. 24th

11:45 p.m.—Low celebration of the Holy Communion. For this service the Church will be lighted only with candles.

CHRISTMAS DAY, Dec. 25th

7:30 a.m.—Low celebration of Holy Communion.

9 a.m.—Festival Choral Eucharist with Junior and Senior Choirs. This service will be one of great beauty and inspiration. Under the able leadership of Dean A. G. H. Bode the choir will sing the beautiful music of Concone's Mass in F. The Junior Choir will sing for one of the offertory anthems, "Gloria in Excelsis Deo."

Nazarene Mission

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Sunday — 9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.

11 a.m.—Morning service.

6:30 p.m.—Young people's service.

7:30 p.m.—Evening meeting.

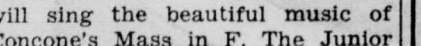
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Two Plead Guilty To Palm Tree Firing; One Is Exonerated

A maximum sentence of \$500, six months in the county jail or both, faces Lawrence H. Pierson and Lester Anthony of this city, who pleaded guilty Friday to a charge of malicious mischief before Justice John A. H. Sturgeon in Monrovia Justice Court.

The charge came as a result of Thanksgiving eve. Both defendants confessed firing one tree and attempting to fire another. They will appear for sentence Friday afternoon. A charge of attempted firing of one palm which had been filed against David Thayer was dismissed by Judge Sturgeon at the hearing Friday and he was exonerated of all blame for the fires.

Call Is Issued For Enlistments In State Guard

Recruiting officers of the California State Guard in Sierra Madre making a drive for enlistments in Sierra Madre Provisional in response to the recent call by Governor Olson, for an additional 10,000 men.

The present recruiting drive, according to Brig. General Joseph O. Donovan, state adjutant general, is bringing the State Guard close to its authorized strength of 25,000 although there are a few vacancies in several organizations including Sierra Madre.

Enlistments in the Guard are for a period of one year with Guardsmen subject to call and active duty upon order of the Governor. Application must be between the ages of 18 and 64 years, capable of passing physical examination, a citizen of the United States and California, and not subject to selective service call.

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THOSE who borrowed kettles from American Legion Auxiliary steam table, please return them to headquarters as they are needed for Defense purposes. —13:1i

For Sale Real Estate

FOR SALE—Two adjoining lots; one level; valley view; bargain. 3834 Roxton Ave., L.A. AX-8951. —12:2c

3 bedrooms; 1½ bath; furnace; double garage. 633 W. Alegria. See owner at 198 N. Lima. —13:3c

HELP WANTED

WOMAN or girl to mind two children after school and evening; especially Christmas week. CU 5-5548 or 10 Bella Vista Terrace. —13:3b

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EXCHANGES

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Real Estate Wanted

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LOST—Pair of glasses in leather case. Finder call 5480. Reward. —13:3g

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RED CROSS NEEDS EQUIPMENT FOR OPENING OF A FIRST AID STATION HERE

A first aid dressing station will be installed soon at Red Cross headquarters and will be operated by women now being trained in first aid.

In order that the station may be thoroughly equipped, the Red Cross is asking for the use of glass plates, a small kerosene cooking stove, hot water bottles, electric heating pads and two steamer trunks, for the duration

of the emergency. The stoves will be needed for heating fluids, and the trunks will be kept in readiness for possible hasty moving of the station.

Anyone wishing to assist in this manner should contact Dr. W. E. Heagerty, who is in charge of first aid activities, or Red Cross headquarters.

For the home nursing class, single bed mattresses are needed. These may be loaned or donated.

Council Votes To Grant Barlow Estate Variance

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novitiate in a residential district. W. L. Pollard, president of the Los Angeles City Planning Association, was introduced by F. D. R. Moore and presented a petition bearing signatures of 67 percent of the property owners within 300 ft. of the Barlow estate. He said granting of one variance is a wedge weakening the entire zoning ordinance.

Confused points at issue were somewhat clarified by Mrs. Barlow, who declared that the zoning ordinance provides for the granting of variances, that she was not asking for special concessions nor seeking to make a profit by the sale. She said she was no longer able to maintain the high property, had been unable to sell it as a family residence and had considered selling to a Catholic order only after every other possible alternative, including subdivision, had been exhausted.

Mrs. Randolph Wood, Lee Shippey, and E. H. Voorhees all spoke of the necessity of considering other values than those which are purely material, and declared should the villa be razed, it would be a distinct loss to the entire community. Wm. Maloney, Thomas Reynolds and Charles Beirne also spoke in favor of the variance.

Those who opposed, expressing a firm conviction that the establishment of the novitiate would lessen the value of their property, were Mr. Moore, Dr. J. Andrew Hall, Mrs. W. T. McKee, M. L. Murray, Jack Buchanan, Mrs. Frank Hutter and Charles Hagey.

Councilman Carter moved to sustain the appeal and deny the variance, there was no second and Councilman Tom Schwartz, moved to deny the appeal and sustain the decision of the planning commission in granting the variance. The motion was seconded by Councilman Thomas Miller and passed with only Mr. Carter voting "No."

Nation Must Preserve Its Liberties

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must guard against and never relinquish our rights of self-government. We believe that by inheritance we possess freedom, authority we delegate for a time to those whom we elect, but it must always remain in the hands of the people.

Dr. Tippet was introduced by Mrs. Waverly Pratt, general chairman of the affair. Address of welcome was given by Mayor W. J. Schiltz. School children gave an impressive patriotic acrostic written by Mrs. Pratt. Musical part of the program was presented by Marileen Scoville, playing patriotic marimba numbers. Dr. M. H. A. Peterson led the community singing.

In a statement issued to the NEWS yesterday Mayor Schiltz said: "In appreciation of the wonderful cooperation received for our Bill of Rights celebration I wish to take this means to thank all who took part in our program and to express appreciation to those who attended."

"I wish to thank Mrs. Waverly Pratt for accepting the chairmanship, for her splendid work in arranging all the details... and for the inspirational message of the acrostic presentation 'Our Golden Heritage,' which she wrote so effectively, showing us the deep value of the Bill of Rights."

"I also wish to thank the Woman's Club for donating the use of the clubhouse for this patriotic meeting."

School Head Asks Kindly Treatment Of Japanese Children

Asking that all school children and parents cooperate in relieving the tension of Japanese children in this community who are in no sense responsible for the militaristic policy of Japan, Gerald Smith, school superintendent issued this statement to residents yesterday. "The American citizens of Japanese descent have declared their complete loyalty to the United States of America. Our school will make every effort to see that our pupils of Japanese ancestry receive fair treatment at school and on the way to and from school."

Firemen To Sleep In City Hall During The Emergency

A lot of Sierra Madre Firemen better learn how the "lions and lambs shall lie down together," because from now until further notice, four members of the department will enjoy the snores of each other in the fireman's quarters each night. Cots have been provided and each member will gladly leave home comforts to take his turn at "standing by." To be more explicit, from now on four firemen will sleep in the firemen's quarters every night. They will sleep with one eye open and be on hand for emergency.

Despite all this, "The show must go on" and there will still be enough men left to take care of the Big Dance this coming Saturday evening. Everyone who attends is expected to have a glorious time. Come, Come. Jim Flamm

Women Are Wanted For Service At U.S.O. Stations

Mrs. Donald Thayer, who is in charge of U.S.O. activities for this area is asking for the volunteer assistance of women who would be able at a moment's notice to prepare sandwiches for U.S.O. stations. She is also issuing a call for younger women who could go into other communities to serve emergency meals for the U.S.O.

Women who are able to volunteer for either of these defense duties should make their service available by telephoning Mrs. Thayer at CU 5-4413.

Supper Salons At Wistaria Vine Off During Holidays

Announcement has been made by Mrs. W. J. Law's, that the weekly Sunday night supper salons at the Wistaria Vine will be discontinued until after the holidays. However reservations for luncheons and dinners are being received as usual, and the vine management will feature a special Christmas dinner, as has been the custom for several years.

Kiwanians Hosts To Boys At Wistaria Christmas Dinner

Sierra Madre's all out effort for the children at Christmas is again receiving fine support from the local Kiwanis Club. Next Tuesday's meeting at the Wistaria Vine Gardens, will take the form of a Christmas party and wanian playing host to at least one local boy.

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